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RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

In response to the non-final Office Action mailed May 18, 2005, the undersigned representative respectfully requests reconsideration of the rejections of record in light of the following remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.